

ERCOT Update on the Implementation of the Congestion Cost Savings Test

Background

- Amendments to PUC Rule 25.101 in <u>Project No. 53403</u> require ERCOT, in consultation with commission staff, to develop a congestion cost savings test for the economically-driven projects evaluation
- ERCOT intends to hire an independent consultant for the development of the congestion cost savings test
 - Identify the industry's best practices in congestion cost savings test
 - Recommend the appropriate congestion cost savings test for the ERCOT region



Tentative Timeline

- Request for Proposal for the congestion cost savings test development released: 3/6/2023
- Respondent proposals due: 4/5/2023
- Proposal evaluation and contract award: April/May 2023
- Completion of the consultant work: July 2023 (tentative)
- Start of the ERCOT Revision Request, PLWG and stakeholder discussions: August 2023 (tentative)



Questions and Comments?

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